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Docket No.: : 701030-15

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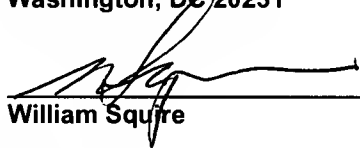
In response to a Notice of Omitted Items in a Non-provisional Application dated January 30, 2002, and set to expire March 30, 2002, enclosed are the following:

1. Petition Under 37 CFR 1.182;
2. Letter to Official Draftsperson;
3. Sheet 5 of formal drawing;
4. Copy of postcard receipt of drawing;
5. Copy of Notice of Omitted Items in a Non-provisional Application;
6. Check No. 6719 in the amount of \$130.00;
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Serial No.: NOT ASSIGNED Filed: HEREWITH

Title (or mark): TISSUE CHARACTERIZATION BASED ON IMPEDANCE
IMAGES AND ON IMPEDANCE MEASUREMENTS

CONTINUATION OF SN 09/428,678
FILED 9/13/01

DOCUMENTS ENCLOSED

☒ Application sheets: Descr.: 51 SHEETS
Drawing sheets: 24 SHEETS

Claims 5 SHEETS Abstract 1 SHEET
☒ Formal ☐ Informal

☒ Declaration (executed DEC. 15, 1996)

☐ Assignment to _____

☐ Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

☐ Type of OA: _____

☐ Response to OA dated _____

☒ Inform. Discl. Statements DATED 9/13/01 AND
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LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Sir:

Enclosed is duplicate drawing sheet 5 of formal drawing as previously submitted with the prior transmittal letter dated November 27, 2001. Enclosed is a copy of the postcard receipt showing receipt of 24 sheets of drawing.

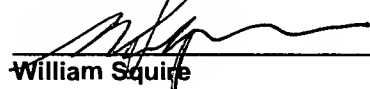
Entry of the enclosed drawing is respectfully requested.

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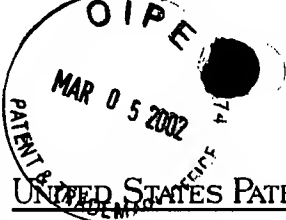
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FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 01/30/2002

NOTICE OF OMITTED ITEM(S) IN A NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

A filing date has been accorded to the above-identified nonprovisional application papers; however, the following item(s) appear to have been omitted from the application:

- Figure(s) 4 & 5A described in the specification.

I. Should applicant contend that the above-noted omitted item(s) was in fact deposited in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) with the nonprovisional application papers, a copy of this Notice and a petition (and \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h))) with evidence of such deposit **must** be filed within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice. The petition fee will be refunded if it is determined that the item(s) was received by the USPTO.

II. Should applicant desire to supply the omitted item(s) and accept the date that such omitted item(s) was filed in the USPTO as the filing date of the above-identified application, a copy of this Notice, the omitted item(s) (with a supplemental oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 and 1.64 referring to such items), and a petition under 37 CFR 1.182 (with the \$130.00 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h))) requesting the later filing date **must** be filed within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice.

III. The failure to file a petition (and petition fee) under the above options (I) or (II) within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice (37 CFR 1.181(f)) will be treated as a constructive acceptance by the applicant of the application as deposited in the USPTO. **THIS TWO MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b)**. In the absence of a timely filed petition in reply to this Notice, the application will maintain a filing date as of the date of deposit of the application papers in the USPTO, and original application papers (*i.e.*, the original disclosure of the invention) will include only those application papers present in the USPTO on the date of deposit.

In the event that applicant elects not to take action pursuant to options (I) or (II) above (thereby constructively electing option (III)), amendment of the specification to renumber the pages consecutively and cancel incomplete sentences caused by any omitted page(s), and/or amendment of the specification to cancel all references to any omitted drawing(s), relabel the drawing figures to be numbered consecutively (if necessary), and correct the references in the specification to the drawing figures to correspond with any relabelled drawing figures, is required. Any drawing changes should be accompanied by a copy of the drawing figures showing the proposed changes in red ink. Such amendment and/or correction to the drawing figures, if necessary, should be by way of preliminary amendment submitted prior to the first Office action to avoid delays in the prosecution of the application.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.



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